Medicaid Preferred Drug List (PDL) Program: Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee Meeting Tuesday November 11, 2003 1:00 p.m. DMAS Board Room

DRAFT AGENDA

• Welcome and Introductions

Patrick W. Finnerty, Director

 Acceptance of Minutes from October 15, 2003 Meeting Randy Axelrod, M.D. Chairman, P&T Committee

• Discussion of PDL criteria for the first 13 classes of drugs

Randy Axelrod, M.D. P&T Committee Members

• Presentations on Drug Specific Clinical Information for April 2004

Randy Axelrod, M.D. and Interested Parties

• Drug Class Discussions:

Oral Hypoglycemics (excludes 1st gen.)

Leukotriene Modifiers

Bisphosphonates

NSAIDs

Serotonin Receptor Agonists

Oral Antifungals

Carbonic Anhydrase Inhibitors - Ophth

Alpha 2 Adrenergics - Ophth

Beta-blockers – Ophth

Prostaglandin Inhibitors - Ophth

Mark Szalwinski, R.Ph.

Vice Chairman, P&T Committee Members

• Open Issues

Randy Axelrod, M.D.

• Next Meeting January 6, 2004

Randy Axelrod, M.D.

Oral presentations: The P&T Committee in conjunction with the Department will be allocating a limited number of slots for interested parties to present scientific and clinical information on the specific drug classes that are listed on the Agenda. <u>All presentations must be clinical in nature and based on scientific material.</u> No anecdotal accounts are to be given. Each speaker will be allocated to a 3 - 5 minutes time slot. The actual speakers and number of speakers will be decided by the Chairperson based on relevancy of the information and time limitations.

If you are interested in providing specific clinical drug information, please submit your written comments or an outline of discussion points, indicate your request to speak at the meeting and the name of the presenter. Please send information to pdlinput@dmas.state.va.us by COB Wednesday, November 5, 2003.

Written information/presentations: The P&T Committee will accept written comments for consideration. Please send information to pdlinput@dmas.state.va.us by COB Wednesday, November 5, 2003.